

The following are the appointments of the West Michigan conference of the Methodist Protestant church:

President, Wm. D. Thompson.

Lauding states: J. C. Reeves, chairman; D. Mondale; Miss Ella M. Howard, Grovenberg; S. P. May, Charlotte; N. Reeves, North Jackson; D. E. Clark, Rice Creek; L. G. Koss, Hopedale; J. B. Hendrick, Hickory Corners; A. S. Gibson, Concord; Palmer and Nanwormer, Yanko Springs and Bradley; M. C. Daniels, general evangelist.

Deacons: J. G. Seaman, Wm. Bentley, superannated; D. N. Stoenking, left without appointment at his own request; C. D. Smith, Hills, deceased; Loyd Mills and H. N. Cook.

The Last of the Season.

Serget, Conger closes his very valuable series of weekly crop bulletins for the season with the following closing paragraph Sept. 24. That part of the closing bulletin relating to the results of the weather is as follows: The weather conditions have been favorable to all growing crops. There is still a deficiency in rainfall, which will probably be made up by the coming Sept. 24. Wheat sowing is about finished. Corn husking has begun and, as before noted, the kernel is somewhat shrunken. Root crops are now being gathered. The crop is better than anticipated. Great loss has not after damage to crops in the south half of the state, but it nipped vines badly in the northern section.

deceased and his heir. Upon investigation this was found to be true, and Judge Harriman has ordered the county treasurer to turn the amount over to her attorneys.

be known as the "New York and Chicago fast mail east," and will make the run from Chicago to New York in 27 hours.

gress took six weeks' recess from July 27, and never afterward had a quorum or attempted to transact any business.

with sixteen large fresh water pearls, is considered cheap at \$100.

A dainty pin represents a feather fan of eight fluffy plumes, each in a different shade of gold. In the centre is a flashing diamond.

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